

REGISTRATION, SUBSCRIPTION AND STATISTICAL SERVICE
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

APPENDIX A

DATE September 16, 1986

FULL NAME Robert H. Teeling SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER _____
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

ADDRESS _____

CITY Schenectady STATE New York ZIP CODE 12301

DATE OF BIRTH October 16, 1949 (This is important and should be exact)

APPROXIMATE AGE 35 (To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known)

RELIGION Protestant NATIONALITY _____

OCCUPATION Maintenance Worker

EDUCATION _____

WEIGHT 150 HEIGHT 5'5" RACE white

COLOR OF HAIR brown COLOR OF EYES _____

OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS _____

MARRIED OR SINGLE _____ CHILDREN _____
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

NAME OF SPOUSE _____

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>UNIT #</u>	<u>CITY</u>	<u>STATE</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>DATE REGISTERED</u>	<u>DATE RESIGNED</u>
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SPECIAL RECOGNITION Scouter's Key 5/85; Scouter's Trg. Award 5/81

SUSPENDED OR DENIED REGISTRATION FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

Admitted Pedophile

SPECIFY THE FACTS WHICH LEAD YOU TO RECOMMEND DENIAL OF REGISTRATION AND LIST ATTACHED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (STATE ONLY KNOWN FACTS, NOT RUMOR, CONJECTURE OR SPECULATION):

F STARON

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RECEIVED
DEC 01 '86
JOSEPH L. ANGLIM

Signed Ben Buel
SCOUT EXECUTIVE #399

Council Schenectady County Council

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December 11, 1986

Mr. L. Ben Homel
Scout Executive
Schenectady County Council, No. 399

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Robert H. Teeling

Dear Ben:

Thank you for the detailed information concerning the above Scouter. We have reviewed this case with our Attorney and have now placed this man on the Confidential File.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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cc: Northeast Region

SHIRLEY MEYER

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SCHENECTADY GAZETTE, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1986

Teeling, 36, Admits Sodomy With 3 Boys

A 36-year-old Schenectady man who police have said is a former Boy Scout leader has admitted in Schenectady County Court that he engaged in deviate sexual intercourse with three boys, one 13, one 12 and one 9 years old.

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Robert H. Teeling of Hulet Street pleaded guilty Friday to three counts of second-degree sodomy, and acting County Court Judge Angelo Lomanto deferred sentencing without setting a specific date.

Teeling admitted that he engaged in deviate sexual intercourse with the 13-year-old on July 9, with the 12-year-old between Jan. 1, 1985, and July 30 of this year and with the 9-year-old between Oct. 1 and Nov. 31, 1985.

When Teeling was arrested July 31, police said he had engaged in sexual activity with 12 boys during the past four years.

They said that he met boys through his contact with the Boy Scouts and that he was connected with a troop which was sponsored by the Police Department's Community Center but which has since disbanded.

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CITY STATE COUNTY, DISTRICT
SCENECTADY NY SCENECTADY, INDIANAS

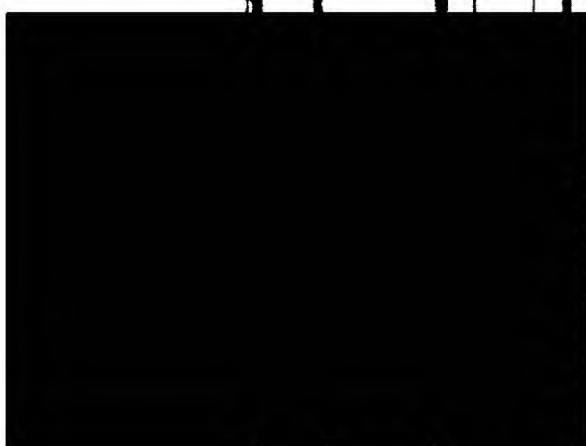
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12 1/31/05 1/31/06

WITH BOYS LINE NO. NAME

060 X SM 20 ROBERT TELLING

SA 18 ROBERT A DUBOIS

JOSEPH CASTAGNA
George Tudekic



CLINTON
SINGLES



NOTICE

PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK OF CHARTER

August 19, 1986

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Mr. L. Ben Home!
Scout Executive
Schenectady County Council, No. 399

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Robert H. Teeling

Dear Ben:

Thank you for the information which you gave us by phone and letter concerning the above-named individual. This will be very helpful to us as we begin to build a file.

I am enclosing a Confidential Record Sheet which I would like to have completed in case you did not receive one after our telephone conversation. This information will be most helpful to us in compiling a file and enabling us to identify Mr. Teeling should he try to register in some other location.

I know you will keep us informed as more legal action takes place. Let us know if we may be of help to you.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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Enclosure

cc: Northeast Region

MAILED 522 FILE

MAY 19 1986

SHIRLEY MEYER

CONF024123

SCHENECTADY GAZETTE

SCHENECTADY, N.Y. 12301, FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 1, 1986

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All the News
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City Man Charged On Acts of Sodomy

By JEFF WILKIN
Gazette Reporter

A 36-year-old Schenectady man, who city police said engaged in sexual activity with 12 boys during the past four years, early yesterday was arrested on single felony counts of sodomy and promoting a sexual performance by a child.

Investigators said the man, Robert H. Teeling of Hulet Street, was a former Boy Scout leader who met boys through his contact with that organization. They said he was connected with Troop 12, a troop made up of inner-city children that has since disbanded. Teeling left the group in 1982, police said.

Ironically, the troop was sponsored by the police department's Community Center.

Teeling was charged with allegedly sodomizing a 13-year-old boy at his Hulet Street residence on July 9. Between May 1 and June 30 of this year, police further alleged, Teeling took pictures of a boy engaged in an act of sodomy while at the Hulet Street address.

Investigator Robert Imfeld of the youth aid bureau said the situation came to light last Friday. "One of the boys told his mother, the mother called us, that's when we started," he said.

Police described Teeling as a "pedophile," defined as an adult who has an abnormal sexual desire for children. Imfeld said Teeling took pictures of the boys he was involved with and later "blackmailed" the children with the photos.

"When a couple of the kids wanted to stop what was going on, he threatened to expose the pictures," Imfeld said.

The photos were kept at Teeling's house, police said, adding that the boys with whom he became involved were between 10 and 14 years of age. As to why the children themselves became involved, Imfeld said, "Kids are weak, especially when they're 10 and 11 years old, they're kind of weak — especially if they're with somebody they trust."

The alleged incidents occurred at Teeling's home. Investigators said Teeling lives alone and is unemployed.

Officials said they do not receive many complaints about pedophiles. Imfeld said Teeling did not express surprise when he was arrested. "Actually, it was more like a sigh of relief, really," Imfeld said. "He'd been expecting it."

Teeling was arraigned before city Police Court Justice Louise H. Smith and sent to County Jail. No bail was set; Teeling will reappear in court this morning.

Investigator Ed Grier of the state police and members of the county District Attorney's office also were involved in the investigation.

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Aug 1986

WATS CALL FORM

CALL BACK REQUESTED _____

COUNCIL # 399

PHONE NO: _____

CALLER: BEN HAMMEL

POSITION: _____

TYPE OF PROBLEM

REGISTRATION _____

VETERANS _____

EXPLORING _____

SCOUTING _____

BOYS' LIFE _____

UNIT #

DIST. #

EXP. DATE

TRANSMITTAL #

FILM #

ROBERT H. TEELING

SODOMY AGE 36

WITH SCOUTS AGE 10-14

T-12

REGISTERED TIL APRIL '85

SPONSORED BY POLICE DEPT.

SINGLE

SEND C.R. SHEET

NAME R. Cant

DATE 8-1-86

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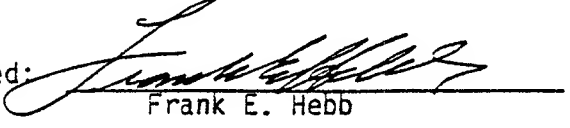
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CONF024125

NEWS ALERT

Date: August 1, 1986

Signed: 
Frank E. Hebb

Time: 10:54 a.m.

Ext: 2212

Source: L. Ben Homel, SE
Schenectady County Council

Address: 
Schenectady, New York

Telephone 

The facts:

A 36 year old former Scoutmaster was arrested last night (7/31) on charges of sodomy with a child. Robert H. Teeling is being held without bail by Schenectady police. He will be given a court hearing today.

Mr. Teeling was charged on the accusation made by a 13 year old boy. Police have identified more than 12 boys whom he sodomized. Police recovered photographs of the boys. Mr. Teeling reportedly blackmailed the boys with the photographs for their silence.

Mr. Teeling was identified in a newspaper report today in the Schenectady Gazette as the Scoutmaster of a troop formerly chartered to the Police Community Center. The troop was dropped in April 1985.

ACTION OR RECOMMENDATIONS:

Pending outcome of hearing.



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NEWS ALERT

Personal & Confidential

Chief Scout Executive	S400	Deputy Chief Scout Executive	S400
Administrative Assistant to CSE	S400	Legal Counsel	S400
National Director of Administration	S400	National Director of Personnel	S422
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Natl. Dir. of Program Group	S207	Director of Marketing	S312
Director of Public Relations	S313	Director of Registration	S108
Regional Director	_____	Director of Health & Safety	S219
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